

Metro Pool League
GENERAL MEETING
Fairview Legion, Halifax
January 7, 2016

Attendance - All teams in attendance except Doolys Portland B.

Call to Order - Meeting called to order at 7:30pm by President Dale Brimicombe.

OLD BUSINESS

1. Minutes - Minutes of the general meeting of Nov.26/15 were read and approved.

2. P.R. – Glenn Nickerson reports that we have prizes at the upcoming tournaments due to our continued sponsorship with the Billiard Shop this year.

3. Stats – Keith Tyler indicated that if two players on the team player stat list should be combined due to spelling or other error, please contact the webmaster to have these changes made.

4. Treasurer's Report – Don Matheson reports that most teams are up to date.

NEW BUSINESS

5. Banquet – The caterer we have used for the past three years has a scheduling conflict with the May 28 banquet date and has asked if we could reschedule to another date. Dale Brimicombe has looked into this with the Forum and they are good with June 11th (they are booked on June 4th). The dilemma facing us is to keep the date and shop around for a new caterer or reschedule and know what we are getting for our money. In the end it was agreed by majority vote to move the banquet date to June 11th.

6. Pins – The pins are on order and we expect another awesome Danny Fortune design this year.

7. 2-point Tournament – A reminder of the upcoming event at Doolys Portland. Call, text or email registrations to any executive member. It was also noted that Facebook will not be accepted as confirmation of entry.

8. Schedule – There are several date changes due to the leap year to be aware of – basically anything after February 28th on the original paperwork. New schedules will be handed out after the round robin and before divisional play starts.

9. Buddys vs Doolys Sackville – A situation arose with a player who was told it was OK if he came late but was then penalized with a loss by the other team for not arriving on time to play his first game. He was, however, allowed to play his last three games. The rules say that an agreement can be made between the two teams on how to resolve a late player issue, however, it should have been either allow him to play or not play - there should have been no gray area. Since there was no game played at the time (which could have been used as a protest game to be brought forward to the league) it was decided that the two teams would talk to the players involved and see if there could be a way for them to play the one game as a make-up game.

10. Next Meeting - The next league meeting will be Thursday, February 4th, 730pm at Fairview Legion.

11. Adjournment - Motion to adjourn by Desmond Pye. Meeting adjourned 8:25pm.

Dale Brimicombe
Secretary, M.P.L.